

REMARKS

The specification and drawings are objected to. A substitute specification in proper idiomatic English is required. Claims 1-10 are allowed.

Applicant has amended the specification and the drawings. Applicant has also amended claims 1-10 for clarity. No new matter adds through the amendments. Entry of the amendments is requested.

THE SPECIFICATION

A substitute specification is enclosed herewith. In amended specification, informalities have been corrected. It is believed that the amendments do not introduce new matters.

THE DRAWINGS

The Office Action indicated that “the water tank on the heating plate, the sensing electrode provided under the heating plate, the water level sensor and temperature fuse provided under the heating plate, must shown or the feature(s) canceled from the claim(s).”

In response, Applicant has amended Figs. 7 and 8 to show the water tank on the heating plate, and amended Figs. 5 and 6 to show the water level sensor and temperature fuse provided under the heating plate. The specification has also been amended accordingly.

“[T]he sensing electrode provided under the heating plate” is shown in Figs. 3 and 8 (see the element 3A).

formal drawings will be submitted when the amendment to the drawings is approved by the Examiner.

THE CLAIMS

Applicant has amended claims 1-10 for clarity.

Claims 3 and 5 have been rewritten into independent form, corresponding to different embodiments of the present invention, and they are believed patentable.

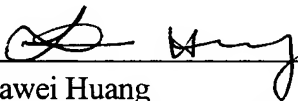
Conclusion

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the

application is now in condition for allowance, and such allowance is earnestly solicited.

Respectively submitted

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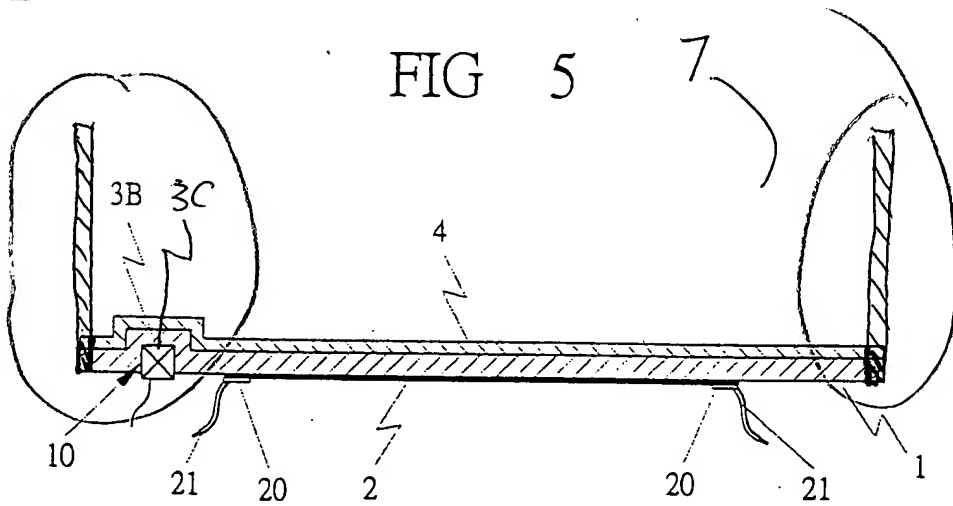
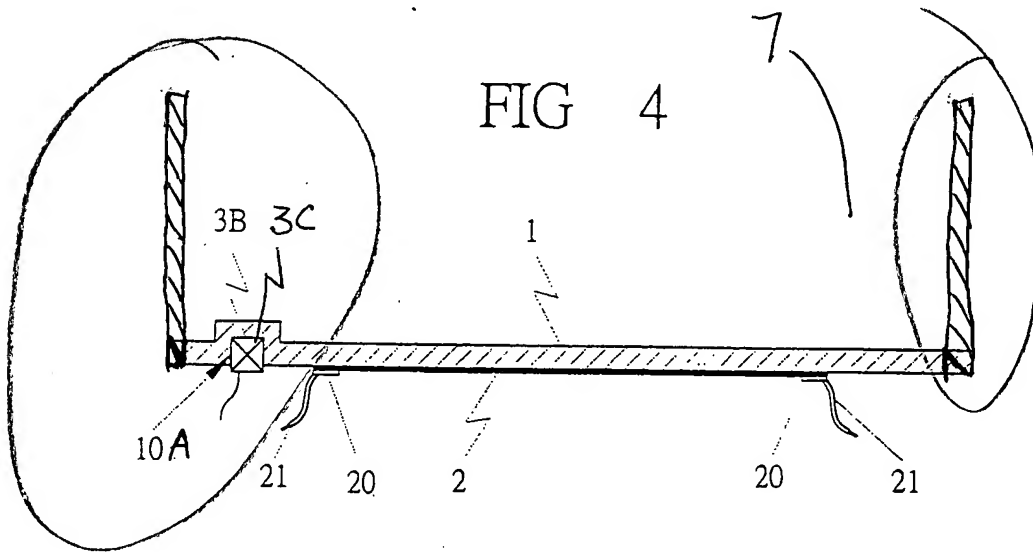
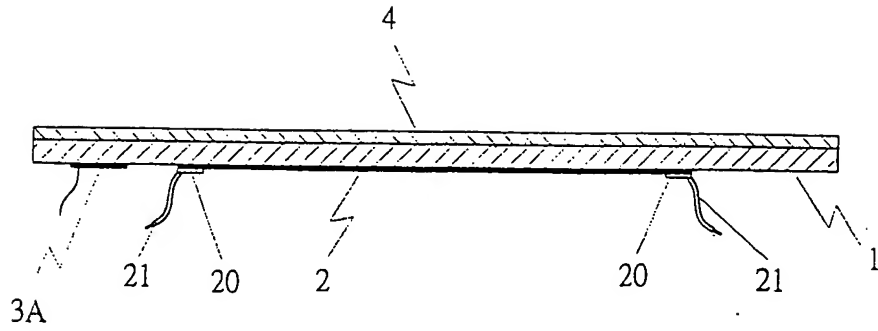


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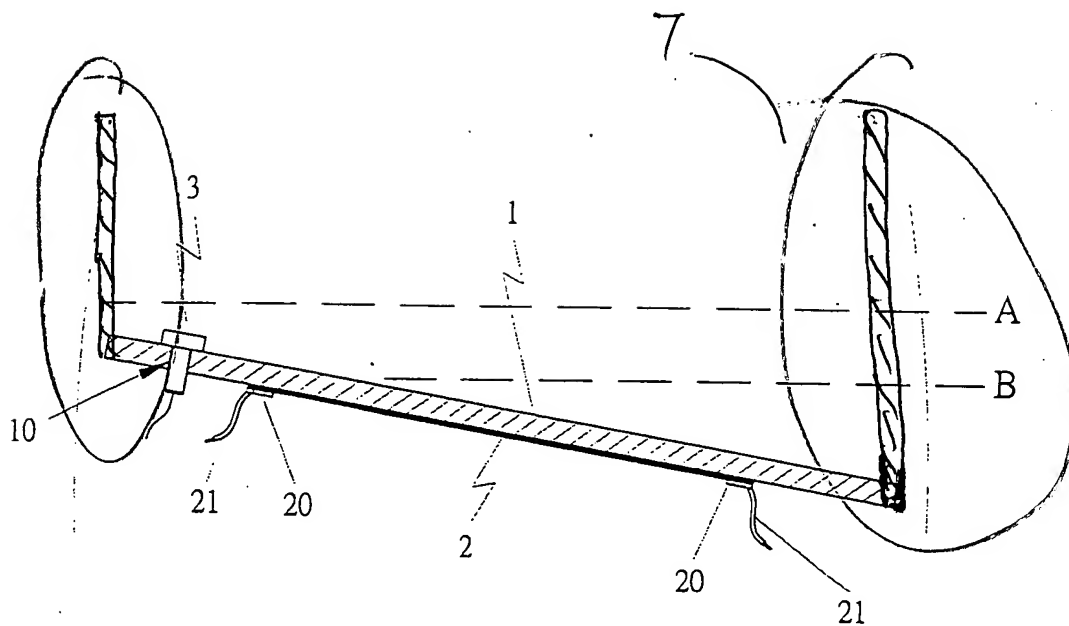


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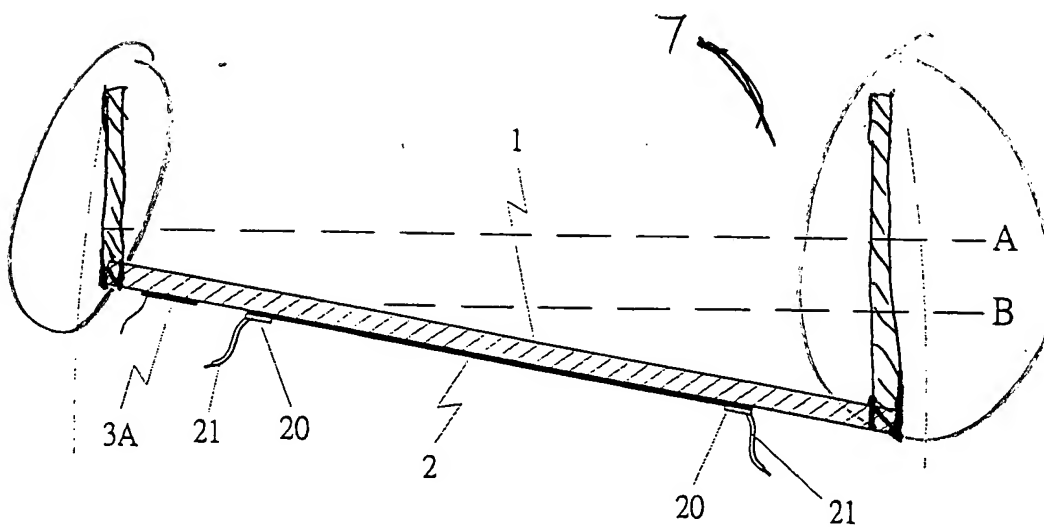


FIG 8